



Contact: Office of Public Affairs
2415 First Avenue
Sacramento, CA 95818
(916) 657-6437 | dmvpublicaffairs@dmv.ca.gov

Follow DMV



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
January 3, 2015



AB 60 Launch Draws Large Turnout at DMV Offices

SACRAMENTO — The California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) today released preliminary driver license processing statistics showing early success implementing Assembly Bill 60 (AB 60)—the new law requiring DMV to issue a driver license to applicants who can prove identity and California residence and meet all other licensing requirements, such as passing the driver license knowledge and behind-the-wheel driving exams.

"We have spent the past year working together with our partners and stakeholders in the implementation of AB to ensure we serve the needs of our customers," said DMV Director Jean Shiimoto. "We appreciate the hard work of all DMV employees who work diligently to ensure this department continues to provide excellent customer service for all California."

Preliminary statistics show DMV served thousands of new driver license applicants:

- 17,200: Approximate number of AB 60 applicants seen statewide on first day of new law

To help measure and monitor DMV's progress in implementing the new law, the department will release AB 60 Implementation Statistics on Tuesday of each week.

The DMV has a helpful AB60 information webpage, ab60.dmv.ca.gov, containing a complete list of acceptable documents that can be used to verify identity and residency, a copy of the driver handbook, sample knowledge tests, appointment information, and other helpful materials.

Anyone applying for a first time driver license is required to make an appointment, unless they plan on visiting one of the four temporary Driver License Processing Centers where walk-in traffic is accepted. Online appointments can be scheduled as far as 90 days in advance at www.dmv.ca.gov or by calling 1-800-777-0133.

Never miss the latest news from the CA DMV. Sign up now for DMV News Alerts! It's an easy way to receive up-to-date information from the California Department of Motor Vehicles. This new tool also offers customization to obtain specific DMV related topics, such as AB 60, autonomous vehicles, and office openings and closures. Click here to get started: https://www.emailalert.dmv.ca.gov/DMVEmail_Alert

###

[Home](#) | [Help](#) | [Disability Services](#) | [Site Map](#) | [Technical Support](#)

[Conditions of Use](#) | [Privacy Policy](#) | [Accessibility](#) | [CA Gov](#)

To assist you better, your DMV website session is being recorded for quality assurance.

Copyright © 2011 State of California

Adobe Reader enables you to view and print PDF files.

To incorporate the latest accessibility features download of the latest version of Adobe Reader may be required.